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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US), please find enclosed a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for the application of Robert T. Belly, et al., entitled RAPID AND EFFICIENT CAPTURE OF DNA FROM SAMPLE WITHOUT USING CELL LYSING REAGENT, attorney Docket No. CDS 219, to complete this application. As required, a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) is also attached.

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